

Speed moved that the Apportionment of James P. McKinney be raised from 4700 dollars to 5500 dollars which was carried.
Abd. Brueggerhoff moved that the improvements on Mr. Tipton's Lot 2 in Block 111 be raised from 300 dollars to 600 dollars, which motion was unanimously carried.

On motion of Abd. Speed the Court of Appeals adjourned to Thursday May 1st 1873.

Fred Sterzing
Recorder

City Council Room
Austin Texas May 5th

Regular meeting.
His Honor T. B. Wheeler called the meeting to order, the roll was called.

Present: Abd. J. G. Speed, G. Bremond,
" Geo. Supernann, A. Scholz,
" Wm Brueggerhoff, J. H. Robinson,
" J. W. Canning.

Minutes of last month were read, and adopted.
His Honor T. B. Wheeler read the report of the judges of special election for Alderman of the Third Ward. G. J. Boardman having received the majority of votes cast in said election G. J. Boardman was therefore on motion of Abd. Speed declared duly elected Alderman of the third Ward.

Petition of Dr. C. H. Worthington & Alf. H. Robinson praying to have opened the West Avenue between Pecan Street and Cedar Street was read, whereupon Abd. Speed offered the following Resolution:

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin That the Mayor ^{be} required to cause a survey to be made of West Avenue of said City and ascertain who have obstructed said Avenue by the erection of fencing, houses or otherwise, and the extent of such obstructions; and that in the event that any person or persons who have so obstructed said Avenue shall fail neglect or refuse to remove such obstruction for five days after the service of written notice requiring the removal thereof, the Mayor or shall cause such obstructions to be removed at the expence of the City. Which resolution passed unanimous.
On motion of Abd. Robinson the Council went into an election for City Surveyor. C. D. Anderson, and J. W. Ford

being the candidates; on first ballot Ch. D. Anderson received, five (5) votes B. W. Ford received, two (2) votes.

C. D. Anderson, having received, a majority of two thirds vote was declared duly elected City Surveyor.
Report, and Bill of J. W. Stalnaker was read, and referred to Finance Committee.

Ald. Speed moved that a Committee of three be appointed to confer with the County Commissioners in regard to establish a City and County Hospital for the better accommodation of the poor, which motion was carried.

This Mayor the Mayor, appointed on that Committee Ald. Speed, Brimond, and Flannig. On motion of Ald. Robinson Geo. Supmann, was added to the Committee.
Ald. Speed moved that the appointment of W. B. Spangle and Ed. William, as policemen, be approved by the Council, which motion was carried.

Petition of H. G. Madison praying to be appointed a Policeman in the Eastern part of the City was read. On motion of Ald. Brueginkoff the Mayor was requested to appoint him without compensation except the fees of which, a Policeman is entitled to.

Ald. Brimond moved that should Marshal Long require another Policeman he be requested to appoint Louis Blumentritt, which motion was carried.

Committee on Ordinances to whom was referred "An Ordinance" to regulate the fees to be allowed the City Attorney reported that they have had carefully considered the same and recommend its passage.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Austin,
Sec. 1st That it shall be the duty of the City Attorney to prosecute and draw up all complaints for misdemeanors; and to cause all necessary witnesses to be summoned on the part of the prosecution.

Sec. 2nd That in cases of misdemeanor, brought before the Mayor when the party pleads guilty the City Attorney shall be entitled to a fee of two dollars, to be taxed in the bill of costs.

Sec. 3rd That in all cases of misdemeanor when the party accused pleads not guilty the City Attorney shall prosecute the case on trial either before the Mayor, or a jury. The City Attorney shall be paid a fee of five dollars to be taxed in the Bill of costs.

Sec. 4th It shall be the duty of the City Attorney to attend daily, Sundays excepted, at the Mayor's Office from 9 o'clock A.M. until the Mayor's Court shall adjourn, for each day, for the purpose of presenting complaints and prosecuting cases before the Mayor.

Sec. 5th That all ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance take effect from its passage.

On motion of Ald. Hanning the rules were suspended, the ordinance read second time, On motion of Ald. Hanning the rules were further suspended, the ordinance read third time, the yeas and nays being then called it passed by the following vote.

Yea: Ald. Sneed, Bremond, Supramann,
 " Scholz, Brueggerhoff.
 " Robinson, Hanning.

Nay's none

Ald. Brueggerhoff offered the following Resolution:
 Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin.
 That the City Marshal be and is hereby instructed to
 to have the Fire Cisterns of the City of Austin constantly
 filled with water, and that the Marshal is authorized
 to draw his warrant upon the City Treasurer for such
 amounts as may be necessary from time to time to pay
 for the filling of the above Cisterns, and in absence of any
 money in the City Treasury the Recorder will sell Warrants
 of the City to furnish the City Marshal the necessary amount.
 On motion of Ald. Hanning the rules were suspended, the
 resolution read second time, On motion of Ald. Hanning
 the rules were further suspended, the resolution read third
 time the yeas and nays being then called it passed by
 the following vote.

Yea: Ald. Sneed, Bremond, Supramann,
 " Scholz, Robinson,
 " Brueggerhoff, Hanning.

Nay's none

Ald. Bremond offered the following Resolution:
 Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin
 That the Market Master be allowed the same compen-
 sation as a City Policeman to date from the time of
 the qualification of the present incumbent, and that

in, addition to his other duties to be required, to arrest all persons found in the act of violating, any ordinance of the City, and to report to the Mayor, all violations of the ordinances of the city which shall come to his knowledge with a list of the witnesses against the offender.

On motion of Ald. Sneed the rules were suspended the resolution read second time, on motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were further suspended the resolution read third time the yeas and nays being then called the resolution passed by the following vote.

Yea: Ald. Sneed, Bremond, Supmann,
" Scholz, Robinson,
" Brueggerhoff, Hanning.

Nays: none

Ald. Brueggerhoff moved that the Recorder be instructed to purchase two tin boxes for the safe keeping of valuable City papers, which motion was passed.

Ald. Bremond offered the following Resolution
Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin
That One Hundred and fifty Dollars be paid the
same is hereby appropriated out of any money of the City
to pay the contingent expenses of the Mayor's office
for the month of May 1873.

On motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were suspended
the resolution read second time, on motion of Ald. Rob-
inson the rules were further suspended the resolution read
third time the yeas and nays being called it passed by
the following vote.

Yea: Ald. Sneed, Bremond, Supmann,
" Scholz, Robinson,
" Brueggerhoff, Hanning.

Nays: none

Ald. Supmann offered the following Ordinance
Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Austin
That whoever shall be found asleep in any public
street or alley, or upon any side walk, or in any other
way in the City of Austin shall be deemed guilty of a
misdemeanor That this ordinance take effect and be
in force from and after its passage.

On motion of Ald. Hanning the rules were suspended
the ordinance read second time, on motion of Ald.

Hannig the rules were further suspended the ordinance was third time, the year past may be, being called the ordinance passed by the following vote

Yea. Ald. Sned, Boardman, Sisonow,
 " " Scholy, Robinson,
 " Brueggerhoff, Hannig.

Nay: none

Ald. Brueggerhoff moved that the Mayor be authorized to appoint a standing Committee of three to make some proper arrangements in regard to the City printing which motion was unanimously carried. Hon. Horace S. B. Wheeler appointed on that Committee Ald. Brueggerhoff, Hannig, and Boardman

Ald. Sned moved that the Mayor be requested to have removed the organ grinder near the Raymond House which motion was unanimously carried.

On motion the Council adjourned to Thursday evening May 9th 1873.

Fred Steing
Recorder

Austin Texas May 6th 1873
Office of Judges of Election.

We the undersigned judges of Election, for an election held on the 5th May A.D. 1873 in the City of Austin State of Texas, for Alderman of Ward No 3 in the City of Austin do hereby certify that G. J. Boardman received the majority of votes cast at said election.

H. H. Cook Jr.
Judge of Election

O. H. McIlhan
Judge of Election

J. Howell
Judge of Election

Edwin P. Phillips
Clerk of Election,

We, and each of us do solemnly swear that the foregoing returns are true and correct. O. H. McIlhan
I have sworn & subscribed to before me Ab. H. Cook Jr
J. Howell. E. P. Phillips.